

Hilton United Methodist Church

14th Sunday after Pentecost, August 21, 2016, 10:00 am

We Gather to Worship

Prelude

Dr. Hye-Bin Song

Call to Worship

Rev. Jennifer Schaus Green

* Gathering Song

“Blessed Be Your Name”

W&S # 3002

* Opening Prayer

Joe Neri, Lay Liturgist

Leader: God, we call out to you!
From the depths of our hearts, we cry,

People: “Lord, hear our prayer!”

Leader: We are consumed by grief.
The events of our lives tend to overwhelm us—
it’s hard to sleep,
it’s hard to eat,
it’s even hard to pray.

People: Where are you, God?

Leader: Deep down, we know that you love us—

People: We’ve experienced your mercy and your faithfulness in the past,
and it has sustained us through many difficult times.

Leader: We refuse to believe that you have deserted us,
or that you are unaware of the pain that we’re feeling.

People: And so we turn to you again,
longing for your presence,
looking for your comfort and peace.

Leader: Surround us with your unfailing love.
Remind us that you alone are God,
and that you hold us in the palm of your hand.

People: Give us courage and strength to face the days ahead,
and strengthen us in the knowledge that we do not face them alone.

All: In the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, we pray.

* Hymn

“Be Still, My Soul”

UMH # 534

We Hear God’s Word

Psalter Lesson

Psalms 46 (without sung response) UMH pg 780

The Word for Children

Children ages 6-12 may now be dismissed for Jr. Church in the Youth Room

The New Testament Lesson

1 Thessalonians 4:13

p 836 lp 1840

L: This is the Word of God for the people of God

P: Thanks be to God.

Special Music:

“Remember Me”

*by Mark Schultz
Lon & Nadine Bailey, soloists*

Message

“Juggling the Balls of Life . . . Grief”

Rev. Green

We Respond to God’s Word

Time of Prayer and Anointing

During the video, “I Will Rise” by Chris Tomlin, you are invited to respond by coming forward to the altar for prayer. Pastor Jennifer will be providing an anointing with olive oil. The sign of anointing with olive oil symbolizes restoration, healing, wholeness, and new life. May we remember and then look forward in hope while experiencing the restoration, wholeness, and new life that only a relationship with Jesus Christ can bring.

Giving to God

Offering our Tithes and Gifts

Offertory: “Children of the Heavenly Father” - arr. by Ovid Young

* The Doxology

UMH # 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

* Prayer of Thanksgiving

We Go Forth to Serve God

* Hymn

“God Will Take Care of You”

UMH #130

Ministry Opportunities

The Benediction

Postlude

Farewell Piece

Dr. Hye-Bin Song

* Stand in body or spirit. Hymnal Information: UMH # = The United Methodist Hymnal (purple);
TFWS # = The Faith We Sing Hymnal (black); W&S= Worship & Song Hymnal [green]

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Persecuted Christians around the world; The Hand to Plow Process;

Our Mission Outreach Children: Marbelly and Ariel Velasquez Alvarado.

Residents of Care Facilities: Bob Hall; Gloria Hamm; Eleanor Harrington; Marie Nundy, Betty Schultz.

Ongoing Health Concerns: Ron Davies; Alea Floyd; Mike Gorton; Andrew Hardy; Michele List; Lauren Slagel; John Sweeney; Chris Wanjon.

Service people: Sgt. Michael T. Bigley; Gen. James Blackburn; GYSgt. Jason Brackley; Sgt. FC David Colucci; Msgr. Matthew Emerson; Capt Scott Fuller; Pvt Annika Moody; Maj. Jathan Payne; Maj Nathan Thompson; Sr Airman Steven Trembley; Sgt. Cody Wise.

* If you know of anyone that should be added to this list please let us know.

Welcome to worship. We pray you feel God's presence in this place.

- If you need hearing assistance, please see an usher for a hearing loop device.
- Please sign the attendance pad so we may get to know you and pray for you and your family.
- Please consider joining us for refreshments and fellowship immediately following worship in the Fellowship Hall, which is located down the stairs near the entrances

It is with mixed emotions that **we say good-bye** to our organist/pianist Dr. Hye-Bin Song today. Hye-Bin has accepted a job in North Carolina and will be moving immediately. Thank you Hye-Bin for the many hours of beautiful music that you have provided Hilton UMC. We will miss you. Please join us for a special coffee hour today in honor of Hye-Bin. It will be held following service, downstairs in the Fellowship Hall.

Please welcome our guest musicians for today, Lon and Nadine Bailey. They both graduated from Roberts Wesleyan College, Nadine with a BS in Music Education, and Lon with a BA in Music Performance and a minor in Elementary Education. Lon and Nadine sing regularly with the Shewan Chorale at the Brighton Presbyterian Church, and they have participated in Pearce Free Methodist Church music ministry. Nadine is a long time employee of the University of Rochester in the College of Arts and Sciences Information Technology. Lon is employed at Maximus Federal Services in Pittsford.

Staff at HUMC

Pastor: Rev. Jennifer Green
Office Mngr: Patricia Van Vleck
Music Coord.: Karen Bernhardt Kuntz
Custodian: Bill Schubert
Organist: Dr. Hye-Bin Song
Youth Coord.: Joe Neri
Nursery: Amy Quartieri

Disciples Active In Worship This Week

Head Usher: Jim Lee
Greeter: Sharon & Wayne Miller
Guide: Pat Holenbeck
Nursery Ass't: Maya Johnson
Sound Booth: Pat Holenbeck
Coffeehour: SPRC Reception for Hye-Bin Song
Worship Coord.: Scott Campbell
Financial Sec.: Sally Lee
Ministers: The Whole Congregation



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Following Christ ☆ *Connecting Generations* ☆ *Transforming Communities*

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